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> **CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION** Re:

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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

CALCULATING INTERCONNECT NOISE DUE TO CROSS CAPACITANCE IN THE PRESENCE OF LINE RESISTANCE

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Enclosed is the Certificate of Correction (two copies) for the above-referenced patent. This request for correction is made under rule 322 of the Rules of Practice and 35 U.S.C. Section 254.

Respectfully submitted,

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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In column 1, line 35, delete "110a" and insert --101a--.

In column 2, line 19, delete "a" and insert --as--.

In column 5, line 6, delete "232ab" and insert --232a,b--.

In column 5, line 11, delete "E₁" and insert -- Elmore--.

In column 6, line 6, delete "R and R₁" and insert --R₁ and R₄--.

In column 6, line 41, insert --R_{new}=R₁+R₂ Equation 3a--.

In column 9, line 27, delete " $T_s = \sqrt{T_{A^{2-4T_N}}}$ " and insert --Ts= $\sqrt{T_A^2 - 4T_N}$ --.

In column 9, line 42, delete " C_{x1} " and insert -- C_{x2} --.

In column 10, line 34, delete "CA1" and insert -- CA2--.

In column 18, line 14 after "capacitance", insert--,--.

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